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Interior Department.

Office of the Bureau of Immigration,
Honolulu, August 14, 1884.

To the Employers of Portuguese Immigrant Laborers brought to this country under the auspices of the Hawaiian Government.

During the last few months, several complaints have been received at this office from Portuguese laborers employed on various plantations throughout the Kingdom, whose contracts have been assigned to their present employers by the President of the Board of Immigration, to the effect that in some instances they were arbitrarily fined for the infraction of certain plantation rules; in others, that they were compelled to walk a distance of several miles to and from their work; and that the time occupied in so doing was not allowed as a part of their day's work; and others who complain of not receiving their wages promptly at the end of each month, as stipulated in their contracts; and still others, that they have suffered personal violence at the hands of their employers or their subordinates.

Notice is hereby given that the terms of the labor contracts with the Portuguese immigrants, above referred to, will be hereafter fully enforced, and in case of any complaint of non-fulfillment being substantiated, the assignment of the contract under which the laborer is serving will be cancelled.

Signed, CHAS. T. GULICK,
Minister of the Interior and
President of the Bureau of Immigration.
aug15-d3t-w1t

It has pleased His Majesty the King to appoint the following gentlemen to be members of His Privy Council of State:

HON. LUTHER AHOLO,
HON. JOHN K. KAUNAMANO,
HON. JOHN T. BAKER,
HON. ROBERT H. BAKER,
SAMUEL M. DAMON,
ALFRED N. TRIPP.
Dec, Honolulu, August 12, 1884.
aug13-d4w1t

Foreign Office Notice.

It has pleased His Majesty to appoint the following gentlemen to be members of the Board of Health:

HIS EXCELLENCY PAUL NEUMANN,
COL. THE HON. CURTIS P. LAUKEA.
The Board is now constituted as follows:—
HIS EX. WALTER M. GIBSON, President.
“ CHAS. T. GULICK,
“ PAUL NEUMANN,
HON. A. S. CLEGGHORN,
HON. CURTIS P. LAUKEA.
Foreign Office, August 13, 1884. aug14-d1t-w2t

It has pleased His Majesty to appoint
HON. JOHN LOT KAULUKOU
to be a member of the Board of Education.
The Board is now constituted as follows:—

HIS EX. WALTER M. GIBSON, President.
HIS EX. JOHN M. KAPENA,
HON. DR. J. MOTT SMITH,
HON. JOHN S. WALKER,
HON. JOHN L. KAULUKOU.
Foreign Office, August 13, 1884. aug14-d1t-w2t

HIS MAJESTY THE KING has been graciously pleased to permit Major ANTONIO ROSA to accept the decoration of the fifth class of the Order of the Rising Sun, conferred on him by His Imperial Majesty the Emperor of Japan.
Foreign Office, Honolulu, August 12, 1884.
aug13-d4w1t

LIST OF LICENSES

Expiring in the Month of August, 1884.

RETAIL—OAHU.

- 2 Ah Soon, Waiakani, Koolau-poko
- 2 Ah Sun, Pawaia
- 2 Ying Kee, Pawaia
- 2 F Horn, Hotel street
- 2 W H Place, Maunakea street
- 1 Haula, Kikihale
- 5 Wo Sing, Nuuanu street
- 5 A P Cooke, Queen street
- 6 H Laage, Queen street
- 6 Poy Kee, Nuuanu street
- 7 Moses Mahelona, Waiakani street
- 8 Pau Hing & Co., Hotel street
- 9 Kwong On Tai & Co., Hotel street
- 15 H Reimenschneider, Kauhuanu street
- 16 W E Foster, Fort street
- 18 Cha Wing & Co., Nuuanu street
- 19 T H Bruns, Jr., cor Bethel & King street
- 24 Lam Goon, Maunakea
- 25 A W Pierce & Co., Queen street
- 27 Vick Chang Lung & Co., Maunakea street
- 27 Len Wo York Kee & Co., Hotel street
- 28 Hollister & Co., cor Fort & Merchant sts

MAUI.

- 1 Chok Wal, Olowalu
- 2 Quong Fong, Paha, Makawao
- 2 C A Hona, Waihee
- 13 Amama, Waiakani, Molokai
- 14 Chun Lo, Lahaina
- 19 C Asing, Hailu
- 20 J Grunwald, Makalae, Hana
- 24 Wing Tai, Waikapu
- 27 Tong Mok, Kula
- 30 Ahulili, Kanpo

HAWAII.

- 8 S G Wilder & Co., Mahukona
- 8 Wilder & Co., Kawaihae
- 10 C Afong, Pepee-ko, Hilo
- 12 Atai, Hilo
- 13 Kwong Chong & Co., Paehehu North Kohala
- 14 Kwong Cheong Leong, Laupahoehoe
- 16 Akui, Napo-poo, Kau
- 16 Wing Shih Kee, Punaluu, Kau
- 21 Hong Sing Kee, Maunali, Hilo
- 24 Akau, Kohalaiki, Kona
- 25 Kung Fook Lung, Huamau, Hilo
- 30 Jas White, Halawa, North Kohala

KAUAI.

- 6 Chong Wo Kee, Hanalei
- 27 Chen Young Kwai, Elele

VICTUALING.

- 7 Anna, Wailuku, Maui
- 7 S Sam Loy & Co., Paha, Makawao
- 18 Chas Kala, Koloa, Kauai
- 23 Yee Sun & Co., Punaluu, Hilo
- 25 Adele Du Jean, Hotel street
- 27 Ak Wai, Kipahulu, Hana
- 30 Ben Yan, Waimae, Kauai

BUTCHER.

- 1 Geo Gray, Hotel street, Honolulu
- 1 Pu, Honouliuli, North Kohala
- 5 G W C Jones, Kau
- 11 Hann Plantation, Hana
- 11 Kekahuna, Hana
- 18 J D Paris, Jr., Kaa-wa-lao
- 22 Mrs Nanale P Brewer, Koolan-poko
- 26 H N Greenwell, Kona
- 28 J Waiwala, Kawaihae

WHOLESALE.

- 10 Hollister & Co., Nuuanu street
- 25 A W Pierce, Queen street

DEALERS SPIRIT.

- 2 Macfarlane & Co., Kauhuanu street

BILLIARD.

- 6 L K Kaunualili, Koloa, Kauai
- 9 P Launua, Hilo
- 14 Ahulili & Kopolak, Wailuku

BOAT.

- 24 Keluke, Honolulu

SALMON.

- 1 J W Kualaku, Fish Market

LAPAAU.

- 1 Daniel Napela, Molokai

CAKE PEDDLING.

- 21 Chung Yat, Kingdom
- 24 Ahol, Kingdom
- 29 Wo Kana, Kingdom

DRUG.

- 28 Hollister & Co., cor Fort and Merchant streets

PEDDLING.

- 31 Ideia Fuente, Kingdom

THE PACIFIC COMMERCIAL ADVERTISER.

Tuesday, August 19, 1884.

OUTDOOR GAMES.

A few days ago we commented on the noticeable disinclination to physical exercise which characterizes the ladies of Honolulu. With the number of field games now in vogue in which both sexes can indulge, there can be no excuse for this lassitude. Lawn tennis seems to be poorly patronized, yet there is hardly a city in the world where the opportunities are so ample for this game. About almost every house is that large, smooth lawn which the tennis player loves. There are many reasons why lawn tennis should win a greater degree of popularity than its

predecessor, croquet. Permitting equally that mingling of the sexes which must add to the charms of any outdoor sport, as an exercise it is at once more picturesque and more invigorating, while as a game, it involves a much greater degree of skill, and consequently of interest. As its name implies, it is an adaptation of the ancient game of tennis—the royal as it has been called—the *jeu de paume* familiar to all readers of the early French chronicles. With the French Kings, indeed, it was always a prime favorite, and in the time of Louis XIV, that grand monarch had his choice of no less than 115 tennis courts wherein to try “a set” with graceless Richelieu or gay Lauzan. The last of these courts was pulled down to make way for the Parisian Grand Opera House.

Then those who find tennis too violent an exercise, can try the grand historic game of archery. An archery club is now in process of organization. There is lots of good archery material to be procured in town, and the target and target face will be the only things necessary, and they can be made to order. The old English game of bowls, which corresponds to the Italian *bochia*, is a quiet, interesting exercise, requiring more skill than quoits, and to our mind more interesting. The bowling green is the place to get up an appetite, shake off the blues, and the exercise is a most fascinating one. If a few leaders would only take hold of these matters, we believe that island life would be much benefitted by a revival in outdoor games.

SAYINGS OF GREAT HAWAIIANS.

For a small island as this is, the number of great brains it contains to the acre may well indeed overwhelm the philosopher with wonder and admiration. Every day on the street corners, in the Legislature, at the church doors, at the portals of the saloons, in the middle of the street, on the wharves, and in the stores, there fall from the lips of those great men sayings which indeed may well be treasured up as grains of gold. That those precious morsels of wisdom might not be allowed to perish, we have had several commissioners abroad for some days to catch those utterances and put them up in a compact and incorruptible form, warrantable to keep for many years to come. As these reports come in we propose to publish them, until the brilliant mosaic is perfect.

REV. SERENO BISHOP: Cranmer perished at the stake for his convictions, and the waste-basket received my political head for my anti-lottery principles.

P. C. JONES: Go in and polish him off, Henry.

DAVID NESFIELD, Esq.: About the best article I ever wrote, etc., etc.

FRANK PRATT: Mullet will not rise to the red fly in an ebb tide. Indeed, I have no faith, etc., etc.

DANIEL LYONS: When we killed the Bank Charter Bill, says Wong Tong, etc., etc.

CECIL BROWN: I'll go to the country. Enough of politics.

S. B. DOLE: Torch-light processions are to be mentioned no longer to His Majesty's Loyal Opposition.

RALPH SMITH: The man who would breathe a word against the descendants of the noble, self-sacrificing and law-abiding missionaries is, etc., etc.

WILLIAM CORNWELL: Talking of pedigrees I'll just bet you, etc., etc.

JUDGE WIDEMANN: Most of the great orators of the world find the hands in the breeches pocket a vast assistance to eloquence.

HON. W. O. SMITH: The defeat of the liquor bill is no reason why a gen-

tleman should not take his five-fingered cocktail when dry.

HON. GODFREY BROWN: My other great speech on the Attorney-General will be ready in 1888, when that gentleman is absent in Abyssinia.

THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL: My claim to public improvements is the donation of a POND to the Oahu Jail.

These close the reports of one day's work of the Commissioners. Their next budget, when duly tested, will be embalmed in these columns.

BIRTHDAY OF THE EMPEROR OF CHINA

Friday last, being the anniversary of the birthday of His Majesty Quong Su, Emperor of China, Mr. Alee and Mr. Goo Kim, the Commercial Agents for China, held an official reception between the hours of noon and 1 P. M. As this is the tenth year of the young Emperor's reign he must now be approaching manhood. It may be interesting to the readers of the PACIFIC COMMERCIAL ADVERTISER to learn how the representatives of China here have been selected. China may not be able to cope with some of the great powers of the world in arms, but she still retains her superiority over them in many other ways, and notably in the arrangements for his selection and control of her civil service. In no country is true merit more assiduously recognized—in none are the details of monarchical government conducted on a more thoroughly democratic plan. When the Commissioners sent by the Chinese Ambassador at Washington visited this country they persuaded their countrymen here to form a society for mutual protection and benefit. This was done, and the “United Chinese Society” was formed, one of the best guarantees for the good order and loyalty of our Chinese population which could have been devised. His Excellency Chung Tsau Ju promised to appoint the President and Vice-President of this society to be Commercial Agents for China. These officers are elected annually by a vote of the members of the society. The membership of the society is open to all well-behaved Chinese subjects, and no Chinaman who values himself abstains from joining it. Last year and this year Mr. C. Alee (Cheu King Tswan) of the firm of Chulan & Co., and Mr. Geo Kim (Goo Kam Fai) have been elected to fill the offices of President and Vice-President of this society, and in fulfillment of his promise, Mr. Chung Tsau Ju applied to the Government of this country to have them recognized as Commercial Agents for China. Some delay occurred in their recognition, because the names given above in brackets were not known here, and the gentlemen themselves failed to make any application for their recognition. This is, therefore, the first time they have had the opportunity of officially recognizing their national holiday. We wish them and their Empire a hearty aloha on the occasion.

THE “GAZETTE” AND THE MARY ALICE.

If there is one redeeming quality about the *Gazette*, it is consistency. It never loses an opportunity to misconstrue facts, distort the truth and falsify matters generally, more particularly when there is an opening to have a fling at Mr. Gibson. In Wednesday's issue it presents to its readers a short narrative relative to the wreck of the schooner *Mary Alice* on Lanai, with a heading “The True Story.” It is a false and malicious statement from beginning to end. Had the *Gazette* sought to publish a true story, it could have been fur-

nished with the facts by those who chartered the S. S. *Waimanalo*, or by the Captain, or by those who took an active part in the mission.

There was even another alternative and a much simpler one; it could have re-produced the brief, but true, account of the affair that appeared in these columns on Monday last. Such would have been the course pursued by the truthful journalist, and had the *Gazette* done so on this occasion it would have been consistent. More comment on this unpleasant matter is unnecessary on our part, but as a flat refutation of our contemporary's “True Story” we commend to our readers the perusal of the following letter:

MR. EDITOR:—This morning's issue of the *Gazette* contains a short article headed “The True Story.” Allow me to say that it is not a true story, and I do not thank the editor of the *Gazette* for assuming to know my business better than I do myself.

The account given in your issue of the 11th inst. of the chartering and journey of the *Waimanalo* for the relief of the injured Captain of the *Mary Alice* is correct, and had it not been for the prompt action of the President of the Board of Health, who arranged to charter the vessel, after I had tried to do so and failed, she would never have been despatched, and Captain Smith, in all probability, would have lost his life from the delay which must have ensued in getting a schooner to reach Awaloa.

The *Mary Alice* was wrecked on the 1st inst., and not on the 6th, as stated by the *Gazette*. The Captain of the *Nettie Merrill* did not bring the news. It came by a mail letter from Mr. Gibson's nephew to Mr. F. H. Hayselden. The Captain of the *Nettie Merrill* knew nothing about the matter, and first heard of it from me, and was much concerned that he had not known of it previous to sailing for Honolulu. Had he known he would have immediately gone across to Awaloa to render what assistance he could, or to have brought the man to Honolulu.

I was first informed of the disaster by Mr. Hayselden. I did all I could to help the despatch of the steamer after Mr. Gibson had secured her, but to him belongs all the credit. I did not obtain the “detail of a Government physician.” It is true I thought of the matter, but there was no need—for Mr. Gibson had already made the arrangement, and I never in my life saw the gentleman who was sent until he returned with the injured man in his charge.

I fail to see a sensational tale from which political capital has been made, in the relation of a plain and unvarnished story in your columns. If any such capital has been made it certainly is by the kind assistance of the *Gazette* whose untruthful account now renders it necessary for me to corroborate your report, and to add my testimony to Mr. Gibson's prompt and successful exertions in the interests of humanity. I am, sir, Yours, etc.,

F. WUNDERBERG.

Honolulu, August 13, 1884.

“THE *Gazette*,” remarks the *Hawaiian*, “very thoughtfully and truthfully says the whole world is interested in Gordon.” By no means. Chinese Gordon is a filibuster of the first water, and if he meets a filibuster's fate we cannot see why any fraction of the world should be sorry. He went among a people to kick up a bobby, totally unauthorized by the British Government, and if Mr. Gordon is scragged it will be nothing more than the fate he has courted. There is a lot of mock sentimentality about Gordon, principally from those who have made no study of the situation.

THE session is nearly over, and the censured and disgraced Ministers still hold their seats.—*Dismal Bladder*.

They do, and for a wonder the sun still shines, the bananas grow, and the world spins around as usual. Everybody is happy, but our dismal neighbor. An hourly funeral passing by the office, and a tri-daily cocktail of tears, are necessary to convince our woe-be-straddled neighbor that there can be no joy in Hawaii, because the Ministers still keep their seats.